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What is the Yellow Brick Road?

The Yellow Brick Road” is a 250-foot path carved through the property’s ridgeline, creating a whimsical, gently rising passage that leads to the higher-elevation pasture and adds a touch of magic to the landscape.

It’s a magical little corridor in nature—Where light filters through the leaves by day, and at night, soft solar-powered string lights transform the path into a glowing, enchanted walkway.



Moodboard

Canopied 250ft path cut out through the ridge line leading to the pasture.





Lighting Moodboard

Magical lighting references for path lighting at night.



Materials Needed for the Yellow Brick Road



Outdoor 'Bulb'
string lights (350 ft)

*To illuminate the
Yellow Brick Road
path at night.



Solar generator with
integrated inverter and
panels

*Should be sized for bulb
power consumption



16 X 8 X4 Concrete Blocks
(for the yellow bricks)

25 blocks (spaced 10ft apart)



5 Cans of Yellow Spray Paint
(for the yellow bricks)

Tools needed to carve out the Yellow Brick Road and maintain the canopied ridge line.



Lopper for small branches and saplings



Chainsaw for larger saplings and small trees



Weed Wacker



Brush cutter blades for Weed Wacker to clear the ground path of small brush growth



- Gloves
- Chainsaw safety helmet

Current owners have all tools on-site. Can be left with the property if new owner chooses.

When to cut through the ridgeline brush to create the path and canopy?

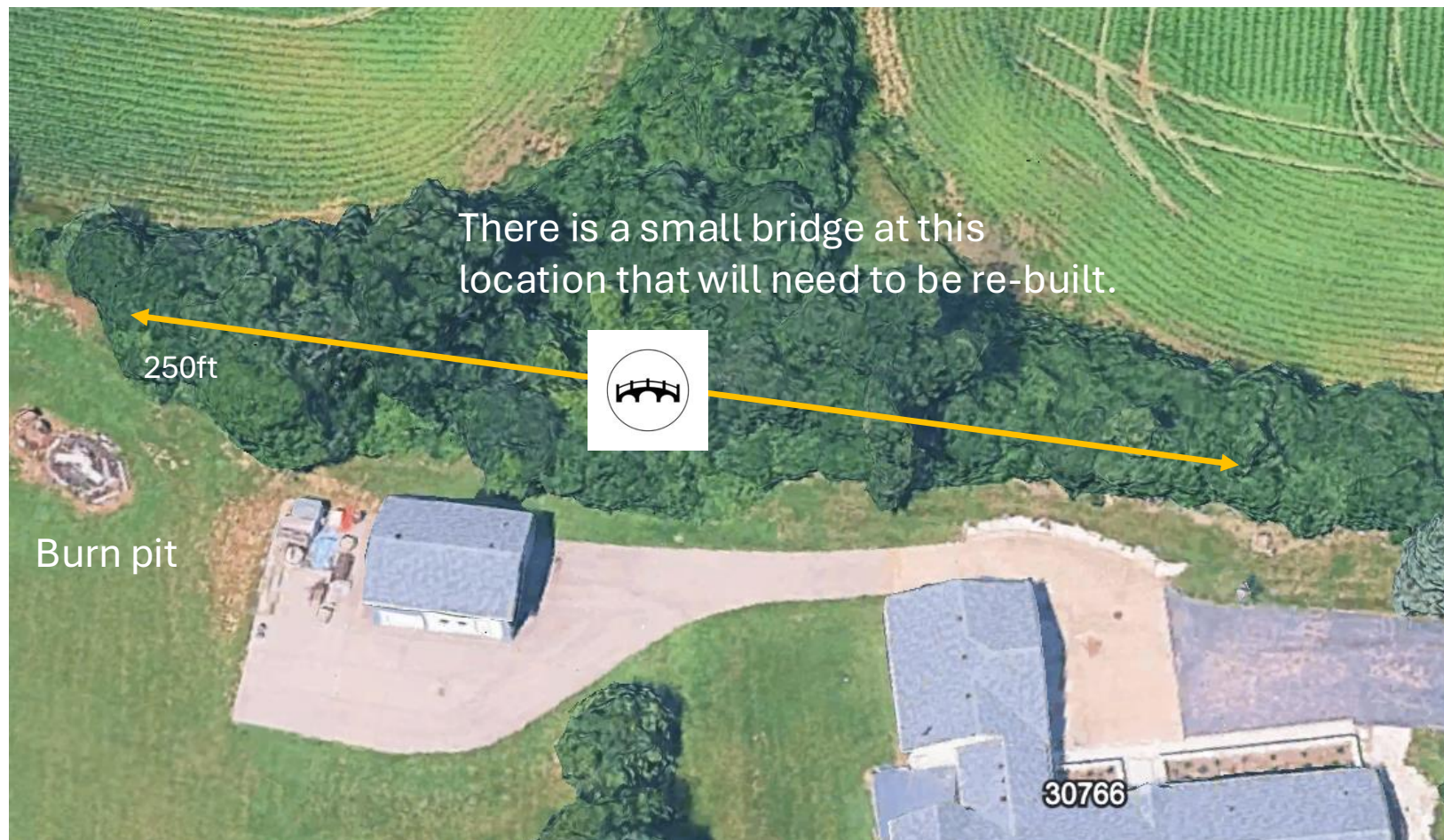
It's best to carve out the Yellow Brick when the trees and brush have lost their foliage. Either late fall or early spring.



Clearing brush during mid Spring or Summer is physically demanding and the ridgeline has buckthorns and foliage that becomes so dense that you can hardly walk through it.



When the ridgeline looks like this, it's the best time to carve out the path for the Yellow Brick Road.



How do I dispose of the brush and saplings?

1. Smaller saplings and/or branches can be tossed to the side of the path. It will naturally break down.
2. Larger saplings, tree trunks, and branches can be taken to the burn-pit and burned on-site.



Property owner tip

An ATV with a trailer is an indispensable tool when clearing brush, moving tree trunks, and just maintaining the land.

It will save you countless hours and exhaustion – the property is large!



Our vision for the *Yellow Brick Road* is a simple 250-foot trail along the ridgeline and carving it out will take two or three full weekends with at least two people. It's honest, sweaty work, and best started once the foliage falls back.

The inspiration obviously came from *Alice in Wonderland*, that wonderful story of a girl trying to find her way home. We always imagined this canopied path as a little escape into that same sense of adventure and wonder.

Though we never finished it, we hope the idea inspires you and your family. This property responds to the personality of the people who care for it, and we hope you'll make your own magic here - shaping this land in ways that reflect who you are and the life you want to build.

Warmly,
The Current Owners

